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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reader's Service to the China Mail)

IRISH SITUATION GRAVE.

CRITICAL TIMES AHEAD

DE VALERA MAKING MISCHIEF.

BELFAST BLOODSHED CONTINUES.

LONDON, February 15.

Mr. Collins has arrived at London to discuss with the Cabinet the new situation in Ireland. The papers dwell on the gravity of the situation arising out of the Ulster frontier troubles and the difficulty of the Government's position in having to give both the Provisional and the Ulster Governments assurances.

Lord Birkenhead, speaking in the House of Lords, said that within the next few weeks we were going through the most critical period probably in living memory. He did not know if we would get through it successfully.

GOVERNMENT'S PROBLEM.

LATER.

Lord Birkenhead's speech in the House of Lords focused attention on Ireland. The situation he said was extraordinarily complicated. On the one hand the Government was determined to push the passage of the Free State bill legalising the treaty in order to strengthen the hands of Messrs. Griffith and Collins against the disorderly element which were flouting the Provisional Government's authority and on the other hand the Government felt bound to assist the defence of Ulster against raids.

The Unionist die-hards at Westminster are taking advantage of this situation and have given notice of an amendment declining to proceed with the bill until murder, kidnappings, attacks, and arrests cease. Delay in passage of the bill is bound to strengthen the recalcitrant Sinn Feiners.

DE VALERA'S HEROICS

Mr. De Valera, in a proclamation yesterday evening announced placing him self at the head of a resurgent nation purified by the sufferings of the whole people and marching to the great destiny to which God has called the Gaelic race."

The fact that Mr. Collins is again consulting Downing Street is exploited by the irreconcilable Republicans who are hoping to carry the Ardfois or all-Ireland Sinn Fein Congress at Dublin on February 21.

BELFAST BAYONET CHARGE

The Ulster frontier is quiet, but bloodshed continues at Belfast where seven people were killed last night.

Altogether 24 people have been killed and wounded since Saturday.

IMPARTIAL BORDER COMMISSION.

LONDON, February 15.

In the House of Commons, Mr. Winston Churchill announced that Mr. Michael Collins who arrived at London to day, had obtained the release of the fifteen kidnapped Unionists and hoped that more would be liberated to day. Sir James Craig and Mr. Collins had agreed to Mr. Churchill's suggestion to appoint an impartial commission to proceed to the border to ascertain the facts and keep in touch with each other with a view to allaying the very great reciprocal apprehension.

EVACUATION OF TROOPS CONTINUED.

LONDON, February 15.

The evacuation of British troops from South Ireland has been resumed.

LONDON, February 15.

The continued disorders in Belfast culminated in a bayonet charge after the crowd had refused to disperse. One civilian was seriously injured.

The deathroll since Saturday is 32. Over a hundred have been injured. Two of the kidnapped men have returned.

WIRTH GOVERNMENT'S WIN.

CENSURE MOTIONS DEFEATED.

SETBACK FOR HERR HUGO STINNES.

BERLIN, February 15.

The Wirth Government has obtained a fresh lease of life as a result of the keenly awaited debate on various censure motions relating ostensibly to the Government's handling of the railway strike which ended in a vote of confidence by 330 to 185 votes. The vote is regarded as a setback for the industrial-magnate Herr Hugo Stinnes.

RUSSIAN FAMINE RELIEF.

SWEDEN'S MILLION KRONOR VOTE.

STOCKHOLM, February 16.

Parliament has voted a million kronor for famine relief in Russia.

SIAM'S LOAN A SUCCESS.

LONDON, February 16.

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LONDON, February 16.

The Chamber by 43 to 27 votes rejected a Socialist motion designed to suppress Dutch representation at the Vatican, and passed by 71 to 7 votes the Foreign Ministry's estimates.

THE DOLLAR.

To-day 1/- Sterling rate 2/5 7/8.
To-day's 1/- Sterling rate 2/6 1/8.

PRINCE'S DELHI VISIT.

HARTAL FAILS MISERABLY.

KING EDWARD STATUE UNVEILED.

DELHI, February 15.

The complete hartal proclaimed in Delhi in view of the Prince's visit failed so entirely that the non-cooperator's committee last night posted notices in the city calling it off. The Chief of Police tells me that from the data collected he estimated that the crowds collected to witness the Prince's arrival on Tuesday afternoon totalled 100,000. It is true that a large proportion came in from the outlying districts but such a reception made the hartal an absurdity.

This morning the Prince unveiled the all India memorial to King Edward.

The Viceroy delivered a fine eulogy of the ruler who was also always the friend describing how the inception of this memorial was due to the Earl of Minto who invited the peoples of India to subscribe five lakhs of rupees for the purpose.

To the booming of 101 guns, the Prince released two vast Union Jacks disclosing a fine equestrian statue of the late King Emperor in dark bronze upon a red stone pedestal.

In the evening the Viceroy gave a grand state banquet in the Prince's honour, 236 guests of eminence and distinction sitting down in the great ballroom. Sir Herbert Russell, Reuter's special correspondent.

SEASIDE VESSELS PILFERAGE.

EVIL GREATLY DIMINISHED.

RISKS TOO GREAT FOR THE THIEVES.

LONDON, February 15.

It is authoritatively stated that pilferage of goods in transit by seagoing vessels is now diminishing, particularly at Liverpool, in consequence of effective action by the shipping companies and altered conditions after the war. An international gang was reported previously to have operated, especially in the Far East, but the risk has been made too great for thieves and receivers.

INTERNATIONAL CONCERN.

"A LIVING MANIFESTATION."

THE HAGUE, February 15.

It was a concrete and living manifestation of international conscience said the Dutch Foreign Minister in welcoming the Permanent Court of International Justice which was formally opened in the Palace of Peace with considerable pomp and splendour.

Members of the Dutch Royal family and government, also representatives of the League of Nations and the International Labour Bureau, high officials and diplomats were present when the judges attired in rich robes took the oath.

The city was gaily decorated for the occasion.

TRADE WITH THE FAR EAST.

GERMAN COMPETITION GROWING.

LONDON, February 15.

In the House of Commons, Sir W. Mitchell-Thompson, on behalf of the Board of Trade said that he was aware German trade in China and the Far East was showing signs of recovery, but he did not think this could be attributed to lack of official aid given to British trade. It was impossible at present to undertake the expense of additional staff.

EQUITABLE'S INSURANCE FAILURE.

THREE OTHER COMPANIES INVOLVED.

LONDON, February 15.

Consequent on the Equitable Insurance winding up cabled yesterday, the City Equitable, an associated company which was formed in July under the former's auspices, is petitioning for winding up. Similar petitions have also been presented by the Greater Britain Insurance Corporation and the City of London Insurance Company.

MEXICAN REBELS EXECUTED.

Mexico City, February 15. General Antonio Ruiz and Captain Lugardo Perez, of the Federal Army have been executed at Chihuahua following conviction for rebellion.

HOLLAND AND THE VATICAN.

SOCIALIST MOTION REJECTED.

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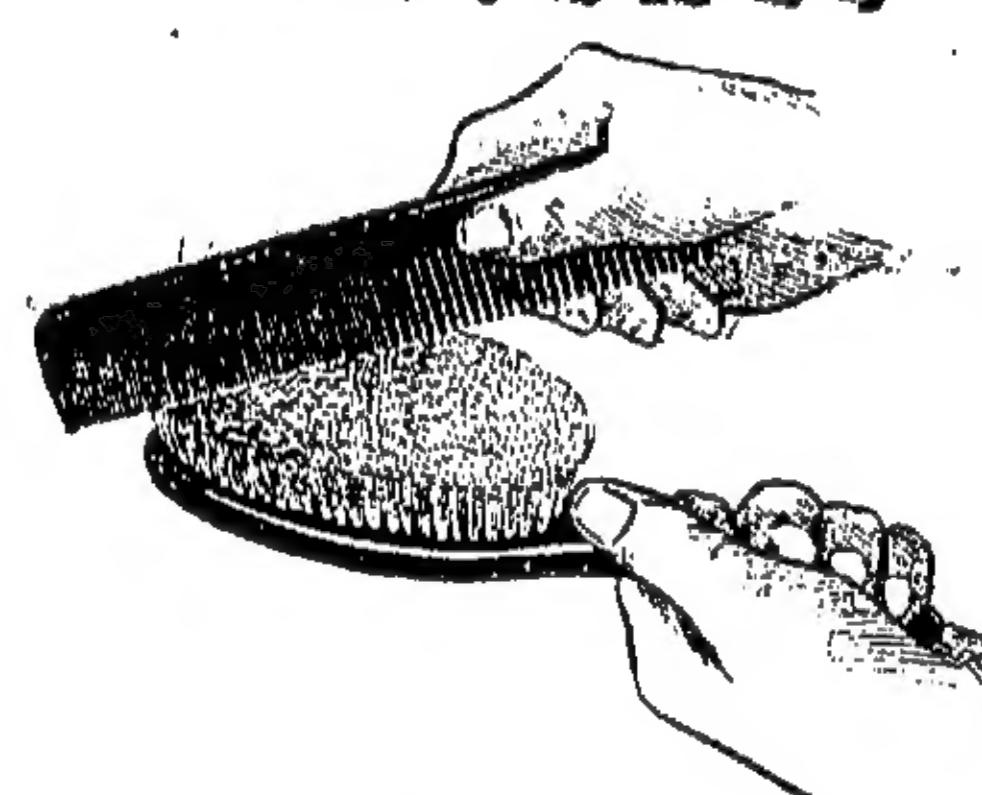
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Hongkong, February 15, 1922

SHADOWS BEFORE

COMING EVENTS ADVERTISED
IN THE "MAIL."

ENTERTAINMENTS.

February 16. Coronet Theatre, Paramount Arden's "Male and Female," Hongkong Theatre, "Ashes of Desire," World Theatre, Jewel Car men in the "Bride of Four," also the Great Garem Troupe, Kowloon Theatre, "The Law of the Yukon."

February 20. Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals fancy dress ball, City Hall, 9.30 p.m.

SPORTING EVENTS.

February 20. Hongkong Jockey Club race meeting, first day. The Challenge Cup.

February 21. Hongkong Jockey Club race meeting, second day. The Hongkong Derby.

February 22. Hongkong Jockey Club race meeting, third day. The Champion Stakes.

February 23. Hongkong Jockey Club race meeting, fourth day. The Hongkong Handicap.

February 25. Hongkong Boxing Association's tournament. Theatre Royal, 9.15 p.m.

March 31. Hongkong Boxing Association's novices' tournament. Theatre Royal.

April 1. Hongkong Boxing Association's novices' tournament. Theatre Royal.

OTHER EVENTS.

March 2. Hongkong Horticultural Society's annual show, Botanic Gardens.

PUBLIC AUCTION SALES.

February 16.—Hughes and Hough, several cases, hats, shirts, etc. Sales Rooms, 10.30 a.m. Jewellery, etc., of several dealers per os quantity of silverware, effects of the late Mr. H. R. Noddle. Sales Rooms, 2.30 p.m.

February 18.—Lammert Brothers, woolen suit lengths and five new brass bedsteads. Sales Rooms, 11 a.m.

March 10.—Hughes and Hough, old and surplus victualling stores, Kowloon Naval Depot, 9.30 a.m.

COMPANY MEETINGS.

February 17.—Hongkong Hotel Co., Ltd., second extraordinary general meeting, to confirm resolution increasing capital from \$2,000,000 to \$5,000,000. Hongkong Hotel, 11 a.m.

February 18.—Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, ordinary yearly meeting of shareholders. City Hall, noon.

February 18.—The West Point Building Co., extraordinary general meeting to confirm resolution for voluntarily winding up the company. Offices of Messrs. Ward, Matheson, & Co., Ltd., 11 a.m.

March 3.—Humphreys Estate and Finance Co., Ltd., extraordinary general meeting. Hongkong Hotel, 11 a.m.

March 4.—Bank of East Asia, Ltd., 3rd. ordinary yearly meeting of shareholders. Registered office, No. 10 Des Voeux Road Central, 3.30 p.m.

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Rubber, Old leather, Old Asbestos,
Old Iron, Brass, Copper, Lead, Gun
Metal and Steel, Coal Sacks, Firewood,
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pellers, Fan Engines, Steel Tubes,
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A quantity of Structural Steelwork
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that
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MEETING OF THE ABOVE
COMPANY will be held at the
HONGKONG HOTEL Pudding Street,
Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong,
on WEDNESDAY THE FIRST
DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1922, AT
NOON, for the purpose of considering
and, if thought fit, passing the follow-
ing Resolutions as Extraordinary
Resolutions namely:

(1) That the Authorised Capital of
the Company which is now
\$2,500,000 consisting of 250,000
shares of the nominal value of
\$8.00 each whereof 210,000 shares
have been issued, be increased from
\$2,500,000 consisting of 250,000 shares
of the nominal value of \$8.00 each by
the creation of 250,000 additional
shares of the nominal value of
\$8.00 each ranking (subject as
hereinafter mentioned) as from
the date of allotment for dividend
and in all other respects pari
passu with the shares constituting
the Company's present issued
Capital."

(2) That 109,650 shares be offered
on the proportion of one new
share for every complete number
of two old shares held by them
respectively to the persons who
on the date of the confirmation of
this Resolution as a Special
Resolution are registered in the
Company's Share Register as
holders of the said 210,000 shares
at a premium of 85 per cent and
so that on allotment the nominal
amount due in respect of such
109,650 shares plus the said
premium of \$5 per share shall be
payable as follows:

Date of allotment	Amount in nominal value	Am. premium	Total
15th March 1922	\$3	\$2	\$5
15th August 1922	\$3	\$2	\$5
15th March 1923	\$3	\$1	\$5
	\$10	\$5	\$15

That the Directors of the Hongkong & Shangai Banking Corporation be and they are hereby requested and authorized by and on behalf of the shareholders of the Corporation to take the steps necessary for the introduction of an Ordinance into the Legislative Council of the Colony of Hongkong and for the enactment of the same by the Governor of Hongkong with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof to effect the amendments necessary to the Ordinances under which the Corporation is incorporated and carrying on business so as to allow of the ordinary issue of the Corporation being increased to \$20,000,000 being the amount of the present paid up capital of the Corporation and to modify the existing requirements as regards the deposit security in respect of its note issues in such manner as

(a) to relieve the Corporation from the necessity of keeping with the Crown agents or with Trustees appointed by the Secretary of State coin or bullion as security against any part of the ordinary note issue and to give the Corporation the option of securing such portion of the same as required by the deposit (at the option of the Corporation) either of coin or of securities approved by the Secretary of State

(b) to relieve the Corporation of the obligation to keep at each of its establishments an amount of coin or bullion equal in value to 1/3rd at least of the notes issued from such establishment and actually in circulation and to leave such matter to the discretion of the Corporation and (c) to allow the Corporation to keep portions of the coin or bullion required to be deposited with the Colonial Secretary and the Colonial Treasurer as security against its excess note issue (viz. the issue beyond \$20,000,000) in places outside the Colony where its notes are issued to such amounts and subject to such conditions as may be approved from time to time by the Board of Directors of the Company.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
A. G. STEPHEN,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, February 1, 1922.

HONGKONG HOTEL CO. LTD.

Proposed New Issue of Shares to
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17th February, 1922.THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the
Company will be CLOSED from
the 18th to 25th February, 1922, both
days inclusive.Dated the 7th February, 1922.
By Order of the Board,
H. N. BEAUREPAIRE,
Secretary.Should the above Resolutions be
passed by the requisite majority, they
will be submitted for confirmation as
Special Resolutions to a SECOND
EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL
MEETING to be held at the HONG-
KONG HOTEL Pudding Street, about
on FRIDAY, the 17th day of February, 1922, at 11 A.M. for the
purpose of considering and, if thought fit, confirming such Resolutions as Special Resolutions accordingly.Dated this Twentieth Day of Janu-
ary, 1922.
By Order of the Board,
H. N. BEAUREPAIRE,
Secretary.THIS TWENTIETH DAY OF JANUARY
1922, AT 11 A.M., FOR THE PURPOSE
OF CONSIDERING AND, IF THOUGHT
FIT, CONFIRMING SUCH RESOLUTIONS
AS SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS ACCORDINGLY.H. M. DOCKYARD RECREA-
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February 16th.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH.

SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT

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LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDER.

THE SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL
GENERAL MEETING of
SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the
Office of Messrs DODWELL & COMPANY
Limited on THURSDAY, the 16th
February, 1922, at 11.30 a.m. for the
purpose of receiving the Report of the
Court of Directors together with a
Statement of accounts for the year
ending 31st December, 1921.The Register of Shareholders of the
Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY
the 6th to FRIDAY, the 10th February, 1922,
both dates inclusive.DODWELL & CO. LTD.
General Managers.

Hongkong, February 2, 1922.

THE DAIRY FARM, ICE & COLD
STORAGE CO. LTD.NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that
the Transfer Books of the Company
will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY,
the 22nd to SATURDAY, the 25th
February, 1922, both dates inclusive.TICKETS of ADMISSION to the
GRAND STAND and ENCLOSUREmay be obtained from Messrs. KELLY
and WALSH, LIMITED or at the Gate. Price
\$12 for the Meeting or \$4 per day.
No one admitted without a Ticket, to be
shown to the Ticket Inspector at the Gate.H. BIRKETT,
 Clerk of the Course.

Hongkong, February 11, 1922.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

RACE MEETING, 1922.

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY
AND SATURDAY.

February 20th, 21st, 22nd & 25th.

THE DROSERA CANNIBALIS.

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Resistance to sleep has its limits,
and Hartenstein must have had

deadly evidence of this, for when sent

on a special errand of requisition I

penetrated alone, at mid-day, into his

huge green-house, in spite of the

opposition of his frightened servant. I

discovered Dr. Hartenstein with his

head gripped, as though in a vice,

by three enormous branches of his

drosera; further, the monstrous plant

had slipped two tentacles under his

shirt, and these had clasped, and were

without doubt "assimilating" the

shoulders of the savant, who, evidently

had been seized unawares in sleep;

he was at present awake, lucid, and

fully alive to the danger that was

threatening him.

At the same time, I noticed what

was left of the dead body of

the poor little child—barely half

a bloodless face—and knowing

of the numerous disappearances of

children in the district, I suddenly

realised the atrocious drama of which

the savant was the author, and, in

his own turn, the victim.

Accordingly, when the Doctor beg-

gan me quickly to sever the branches

of the drosera with my sword, my

outraged feelings told me to let the

punishment follow its course.

Faithful to the military precept

which, in every case, calls for a report,

I drew up an account of what I had

seen, and then went off, taking with me

the key of the door which I had

carefully locked, to refer the matter

to my superiors.

As luck would have it, during the

brief time that I was so occupied, a

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DEATHS.

BLUMENTHAL.—On February 9, 1922, at Shanghai, Mary Blumenthal, of pneumonia, wife of Nathan Blumenthal.

FORDE.—On February 10, 1922, at Shanghai, Dorothy Kathleen, the wife of F. H. Forde, aged 36 years.

The China Mail.

"TRUTH, JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE."

LONGKONG, THURSDAY, FEB 16, 1922

SIR CHARLES ELIOT'S BOOK.

Can three heavy volumes, priced at four guineas, properly be described as "a sketch"? An historical sketch" is what Sir Charles Eliot has called his new book on Hinduism and Buddhism. The point is of no serious importance. The more momentous question is whether Sir Charles Eliot had any special qualifications, such as knowledge of any of the "sacred" tongues of the East, or familiarity with the peoples who profess or practise these religions, to justify him in adding to the already copious bibliography concerned. Tolerance and sympathy are excellent, and the trick of lucid exposition is good, but a tax of four guineas entitles us to ask if the new work is to add to knowledge or merely to the reputation of a career maker. We entertain the profound suspicion that the number of Europeans who understand Hinduism is not large. We have failed to understand ourselves, after taking some pains to do so. We are content now to accept such sympathetic interpretations as those by Mr. David Wilson. Buddhism,

rejecting it. The "most illogically" in that shows that he hasn't the subtlety of mind necessary to the understanding of metaphysics, for the psychological basis of logical "discards" is that the mind dislikes them. Incongruity offends the mind; but why the mind should claim that only the congruous is logical is a fitting problem for the research methods of Zen. Metaphysic itself is transcendental logic, and the "dislike" is mentioned as "general" is universal and inescapable. We notice that a Home reviewer (whether deriving it from Sir Charles Eliot or not we cannot discover) observes that the Indians "do not separate religion from philosophy." None do that, for none can. Makers of European books may have designed classifications which ostensibly do so, but the separation is pure fancy, like that which supposes the incommutability of science and religion. All these forms of thinking are graft for the same mill, the mind that is curious to enquire and to know, and that has its likes and its dislikes. Science is only science so long as it is accumulating verifiable data. It becomes philosophy when it begins to extract conclusions from these. Religion is philosophy based on data that may or may not be verifiable. Before science begins, philosophy provides its platform of pure assumption, for example, the ideas of causality, uniformity of sequence and so on. We may perhaps express the relations in this way. Science studies How. Religion studies Why. Philosophy ponders How and Why. Sir Charles Eliot sees a serious difficulty in the Christian notion that a new soul is created every time a child is born. His mind "dislikes" that probably because it has a clearly recorded concept of the conservation of energy. It sees in "transmigration" a more logical explanation. If he had grasped the Buddhist conception of the soul, there would have been no such difficulty, and no need for the "explanation" which mentally fatigued Buddhists took over from Hinduism. Science is mental fatigue, because of its exactness of observation and its caution. If science could live up to its ideals, it might advance more slowly than it does. But it eases its own progress, and lessens its fatigue, by the method of hypotheses. If it drops every hypothesis that it cannot find facts to fit, it abandons honesty; but while hypothesising it has transmigrated into the freer medium of philosophy. Philosophy, however, requires such concentration that it is liable to mental fatigue even more acute. It then falls back on the scepticism of science, or jumps forward into the cosy and satisfying (the not "disliked") "explanations" of religion. It oscillates between these states when (refreshed after fatigue) it tries to import one into the other. The reason that such books as Sir Charles Eliot's are possible is that different races of men, pursuing the same search, by these various routes, have suffered mental fatigue at varying points, and that at these points they have subsided into a state of rest, which is a state of mental "liking," while continued research indicates the state of mental "dislike" which Sir Charles Eliot dub illogical. It is, of course, illogical where preference deliberately shuts its eyes to evidence, but can hardly apply to the case in point, where the only evidence available is that afforded by human liking and disliking.

And here mental fatigue begins. It is time to drop the subject, with the summary remark that since Sir Charles Eliot's book is neither a scientific nor a religious contribution, and inadequately philosophic, we are under no obligation to thank him for it. A man who confessedly omits three chapters on Japanese Buddhism, for the irrelevant reason that he has gone to Tokyo as British Ambassador, disentitles him to rank as a philosopher. He remains merely a diplomat.

Sorry Business.

The history of the Geneva Conference makes curious reading, painful reading. Europe, still torn and bleeding from the ravages of insidious warfare, cannot be healed piecemeal. A united effort is necessary if the chaos that has ruined Russia, strangled Austria, imperilled Germany and threatened the other States is not to overwhelm the Old World completely. Long overdue an international conference is called to devise means of saving Europe. France is among the nations that follow Britain's lead and agree to attend. Then Russia and Germany are invited; how can Europe regain economic sanity with either absent? France now has doubts, misgivings. Russia must give guarantees. Germany must give guarantees. Both are assured. One among twenty-five nations France now seeks to bind the conference beforehand, not to alter, not even to discuss the Versailles treaty. That would be intolerable! France will never permit such an impious act! Still the conciliatory idea survives. Unable to induce Britain to abandon

it, France now seeks to postpone it indefinitely by holding preliminary discussions of experts that she can protract for months by raising numberless technical questions. And so that France shall not stand alone in demanding indefinite postponement of the conference she has induced the small States of Central Europe to demand the right of participating in these preliminary discussions. Truly, with Europe slowly dying, it is a sorry business.

Methinks in His Madness.

An astonishing agitator, a remarkable man, his Gandhi with his bitter resolve for revolt and his equally bitter resolve for peace. Humiliated and distressed by the violence and murder his more turbulent follies were committed in the name of the doctrines that have become his life's passion, he announces that he has begun a five days' penance, and advises the criminals to surrender to the authorities. Since a penance with Gandhi involves great personal suffering and a refusal to adhere to zealous to the point of violence invites internal discord, his mysticism must be very great or his perception very keen. One suspects it is the latter. Clearly he can never hope to achieve his objects by force but he may reasonably expect to achieve them by passive resistance. Hence the civil disobedience campaign, hence the non-cooperation movement. But before he can make it really effective, he must win millions to his cause. Before he can do that again, he must remove every chance of violence turning passive resistance into open conflict, a fatal prospect that would play into the hands of the authorities. So to impress his followers with the vital necessity for peace he appeals to their sympathy and remorse. He does a

Germany's Mephistopheles.

"He is far more powerful than the Kaiser ever was." That is what the *Manchester Guardian*'s Berlin correspondent says of Herr Hugo Stinnes, Germany's chief industrial magnate, who, a Reuter cable indicated yesterday, is reported now to be spreading his far-reaching tentacles in the direction of the Dutch Indies. As Dr. Walther Rathenau, the new German Foreign Minister, is accounted the most able so Herr Stinnes is reputed to be the wealthiest and most influential man in Germany. His fortune at the present day is estimated at more than a thousand millions of marks. He was the chief contractor for war material in the war and since 1917 he has been busy buying up newspapers, of which he now owns sixty. Slowly he has become the controlling power in the German People's Party and since the peace he has been considered as the evil spirit in the German political situation. He owns nearly all the German canal and river steamship lines and a big proportion of German transmarine steamship company shares. Together with half a dozen other industrial magnates he controls nearly all the factories and natural resources of the Rhineland and the Ruhr Valley. He is the chief director of the so-called "trustification" process that promises to do more towards setting Germany on her economic legs again than all the reparations commissions and conferences put together. His reported effort to lend money to the Dutch East Indies probably has some connection with the statement of a writer in the *Review of Reviews* who calls him the "Mephistopheles of Germany" that Herr Stinnes knows that there is no hope for Germany in political panaceas: that salvation lies only in the restoration of German trade, the finding of new sources of supply for essential industries and the creation of new markets or the recapturing of old ones.

With regard to the disposal of profits, I hope that the allocation we now propose will meet with your unanimous approval, but I would not be doing my duty to shareholders if I did not point out that this is an extraordinarily large dividend declared from abnormally large profits, and it is very doubtful if, with due regard to prudence and to the necessity for finding funds for additions and extensions in the future, dividends to such an extent can be declared in the years to come.

We recommend \$250,000. being put aside out of earnings for the New Plant, as both of our principal competitors in this part of the world have recently greatly increased their output and unless we do the same, we shall not be able to retain all our customers.

As I said last year, it is absolutely necessary for us to accumulate funds for additional Plant. We shall now have about \$500,000. available for that purpose, and we estimate the total cost of a new 200 foot Rotary Kiln from home will be in the neighbourhood of \$1,000,000. and that the foundations and buildings for it will cost an additional \$100,000. And it will probably take two years before it is all erected and in working order, by which time we hope to have enough surplus funds to cover the total cost.

Specifications and tenders for this Plant have now been received and we

propose to place the order after our Works Manager, Mr. Arnot, who is going home in April on leave, arrives and has had time to go carefully into the matter on the spot.

The Dust Collecting Plant is now in

course of erection and should be

finished by the end of the year. We

are sorry to say that we fear the cost

of the buildings and foundations will

be more than we expected owing to

the rise all round in the cost of labour and materials.

The Accounts are set out in detail

and are, I think, quite clear, and there

is nothing in them that I can see that

requires any special comment, except

that you will notice a debit of

\$11,144.44 for cost property at

Castle Peak. With regard to

this, I need only say that as

the cost was so small, we thought it

advisable to acquire this piece of

land in case it should be necessary at

some future date to make use of it to

supplement our present site at

Hok Yuen. In the meantime, we hope to

lease it at a rental sufficient to cover

the loss of interest.

Stocks of raw material are larger

than last year as Limestone has com-

ing forward in rather better supply.

I now propose that the Report and

Accounts as presented be adopted

and that we deal with the balance at

credit of Profit and Loss as follows:

To pay a Final Dividend

COMPANY MEETINGS.

"CEMENTS" RECORD YEAR.

PROVISION FOR PLANT EXTENSIONS.

The necessity for making provision for an extension of plant in order to maintain the Company's present strong position was emphasised by the Chairman (Mr. R. Shewan) at the 33rd ordinary annual meeting of shareholders in the Green Island Cement Company held at the offices of the Company in St. George's Building at 11 a.m. to-day.

In addition to Mr. R. Shewan

there were present the Rev. Fr.

Robert the Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang,

and Mr. J. Bell-Irving (directors),

Mr. Allan Keith (secretary) and

the following shareholders:—The Hon. Mr. H. W. Bird and Messrs. W. Adamson,

Tse Tsan Tai, Poon I Cho, W. J.

Hawker, M. Manuk, Leo D'Almeida,

A. S. Elias, F. Ellis, G. P. Lammet,

W. J. Carroll, M. A. Razack, P. M. N.

da Silva, G. M. Raymond, Chay Tat

Fung, A. H. Carroll, V. Yvanovich,

A. A. Cordeiro, N. V. A. Croucher,

F. P. de V. Soares, B. Baato, E. J. de

Figueiredo, E. Abraham, J. W. Kew,

A. A. Alves, J. Kitchell, E. E. Ellis,

C. C. Stark, W. E. Van Eps, M. A.

Figueiredo, F. M. Ellis, A. Stevenson,

H. A. Lammet, and Leong Lai-ton.

The Chairman said:—Gentlemen,

As copies of the Report and Accounts

have been in your possession for some

time past, I need not, unless you wish

me to do so, read them now.

The result of the year's work is

very satisfactory and surprises all

our records. A strong demand set in

in the early part of the year, and to

take full advantage of it, we worked

the factory to the fullest extent of its

capacity, and old every cask we could

turn out, but of course we cannot

continue this practice indefinitely as

the plant must be laid up occasionally

for overhaul and repairs.

Towards the end of the year, the

demand, owing to the appearance of

cheap continental brands of Cement

from home on some of our markets,

fell to a certain extent, and gave us a

little breathing space. At the moment

THE CHINA MAIL.

SEAMEN'S STRIKE.

HONGKONG GOVERNMENT'S COMPROMISE.

NO NEWS YET FROM CANTON.

The Government's offer to cancel the proclamation outlawing the Seamen's Union if the strikers return to work at the rates pending arbitration, set out in the scale of increases offered by the employers has produced a general feeling in business circles that the dispute is practically over. It seems a capital solution of the knotty problem about the change of name and the disappointment will be keen if the men do not accept it as a satisfactory adjustment of the difficulties which have hitherto blocked the path of progress towards negotiation.

The decision of the Government was arrived at in executive council meeting held late on Tuesday night and was promulgated yesterday in an official notification issued by the Secretary for Chinese Affairs (the Hon. Mr. E. R. Halifax) who has kindly furnished us with the following translation of it:

"On instructions from the Government the Secretary for Chinese Affairs has communicated the following decision to the seamen's representatives: 1. The Seamen's Union was closed because it excluded its legitimate bounds and broke the law of Hongkong, not because it asked for an increase of wages."

2. The Governor absolutely requires proof of freedom from unlawfulness before he can change his present attitude.

3. If it is desired to give proof of freedom from unlawfulness all seamen and all workmen whom they involved in the strike must return to work and Hongkong resume its normal condition, before it can be considered that proof of freedom from unlawfulness has been furnished.

4. If all come back to work first on the conditions offered by the ship owners (of which a copy is appended) and await the award of the arbitrators, the Governor will cancel the proclamation closing the Union.

"At the suggestion of the Governor, the ship-owners are willing to reinstate their former offer of increased wages to take effect from the day on which the seamen return to work. This scale of wages is merely a temporary scale pending arbitration and is on no account to be taken as basis from which the arbitrators will work. Addition to it or subtraction from it are alike within the sole discretion of the arbitrators. The scale offered is repeated below:

Chinese River Steamers 25 percent. Other Chinese Steamers up to 1,000 D. W.

Tons 25 percent. Canton, Hongkong and Macao Steam-boat Co. steamers 15 percent.

Other British Companies River Steamers, taking the scale of Canton, Hongkong and Macao Steam-boat Co. as base 15 percent.

Coasting steamers 12 percent. Java Lines 7½ percent. Pacific Lines 7½ percent. European Lines 7½ percent. Australian Lines 10 percent.

To-day the general opinion held by those, including the S.C.A., most closely in touch with the question, was that it is improbable that any definite news as to how the strikers at Canton view the Government's offer will reach here before to-morrow. The seamen's delegates, who were called away from a meeting at the Tung Wah hospital yesterday afternoon to receive the news at the S.C.A.'s office, left for Canton by the afternoon's train and, of course, would not have reached there until fairly late last night. It would take them some time to round up the strikers for a general meeting and it is considered improbable that they would be able to get back to Hongkong again by to-night.

In the meantime four delegates from the Canton Chamber of Commerce have come down to Hongkong with the idea it is understood, of discussing the food situation as it affects Canton. They will confer with representatives of the Chinese Chamber and other bodies at a meeting to be held at the Tung Wah Hospital this evening.

Every day sees the harbour congestion easing up a little. To-day the number of ships in port has been reduced to 160; amongst the departures being the Jardine boats, the "Lak Sang," "Kwai Sang" and "Stop Sang," the B. and H. steamship "Kwang Chow," the "Empress of Japan" and the "Montague." The arrival of the T.C.I.L. steamer "Tijhondar" with

OUR FINANCES.

KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY VOTES
GAT ROCK WIRELESS.

At this afternoon's Legislative Council meeting the following financial minutes were recommended by H.E. the Governor:

\$600 on account of Kowloon-Canton Railway, special expenditure, repairs to railway embankment.

\$100 on account of Kowloon-Canton Railway, special expenditure, produce shelter, Taipo Market.

\$15,000 on account of Kowloon-Canton Railway, special expenditure, Loco Yard at Loon.

\$118 on account of Kowloon-Canton Railway, special expenditure, locomotives.

\$158,919 in aid of the vote Public Works, extraordinary, Hongkong, Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903, (11) compensation and resumptions.

\$191 on account of Kowloon-Canton Railway, special expenditure, fire hose, &c.

\$1,028 on account of Kowloon-Canton Railway, special expenditure, motion plates and cylinders for locos 3 and 4.

\$1,700 on account of Public Works, extraordinary, Kowloon, erection of temporary triksha shelter with latrines in Kowloon.

\$6,500 on account of Public Works, extraordinary, Kowloon, rearrangement of Kowloon Inland Lots Nos. 629, 630, 631 and 1111.

\$1,000 on account of Public Works, extraordinary, Hongkong, miscellaneous erection of wireless installation at Gap Rock.

PRINCE'S PAVILION.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL QUESTIONS.

At this afternoon's meeting of the Legislative Council the Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang submitted three questions relating to the Prince's Pavilion. They are reprinted below together with their respective answers:

Will the Government state:

(1.) What, if any, use is to be made of the building now under erection, on "the Finest Site" after the visit of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales?

No decision has been come to.

(2.) What, if any, precautions are being taken to cope with an outbreak of fire during the erection of such building?

The Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade has placed fire appliances on the premises and he has the fire-float in close proximity.

(3.) Whether the risk of fire, and that of damage by typhoon, has been covered by insurance?

The risk of fire, but not that of typhoon, is covered by insurance.

25 CENTS FINE.

AGED HAWKER'S OFFENCE.

An elderly Chinese was charged before Magistrate Wood this morning with having hawked vegetables in Yau Ma Tei.

Denying the charge, the defendant said he was a beggar. He had picked up the vegetables at the market. "They were rotten vegetables," he said. "No one would eat them as they are only fit for feeding fowls. I am a poor man, and took them for food."

An Indian constable said that he saw the defendant, who had a large quantity of vegetables, sell a cent's worth.

Inspector Brown said the defendant had 60 cents in coppers on him. The Magistrate imposed a fine of 20 cents and cautioned the defendant not to hawk again.

"BLIND" BEGGAR.

RUNS "LIKE A DEER" WHEN POLICE APPROACH.

An elderly Chinese was charged before Magistrate Wood this morning with having begged or alms in the central district yesterday afternoon.

Sub-Inspector Marks said that the defendant was not blind and "ran like a deer" when he saw him coming.

A fine of \$2 was imposed.

ARBITRATION BOARD.

AN UNAUTHORISED REPORT.

The Secretary for Chinese Affairs (the Hon. Mr. E. R. Halifax) informs the "China Mail" that there is no authority for the report that the Child Justice would act as Chairman of the proposed arbitration board.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

THIS AFTERNOON'S MEETING.

Bills to provide for police supervision of certain persons, to amend further the Opium and the Volunteer Ordinance, to amend the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance, and certain provisions of peace treaty orders were considered at this afternoon's meeting of the Legislative Council.

The second reading of the bill to restrict the taking of legal proceedings in respect of certain acts and matters done during the war and to provide in cases remedies in substitution therefor, and the second reading of the Bill to amend the Crown Lands Resumption Ordinance, 1921, were not proceeded with at this meeting.

ATTENDANCE.

Those present were:

His Excellency the Governor, Sir Reginald Edward Stubbs, K.C.M.G.

H.E. the General Officer Commanding the Troops, Major-General Sir J. S. Fowler, K.C.B., D.S.O.

The Colonial Secretary, the Hon. Dr. Claud Severn, C.M.G., LL.D.

The Attorney-General, the Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp, C.R.E., K.C.

The Colonial Treasurer, the Hon. Mr. C. McL. Messer, O.B.E.

The Secretary for Chinese Affairs (the Hon. Mr. E. R. Halifax), O.B.E.

The Director of Education, the Hon. Mr. E. A. Irving.

The Director of Public Works, the Hon. Mr. T. L. Perkins.

The Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock, K.C.

The Hon. Mr. E. V. D. Parr.

The Hon. Mr. Lau Chu-pak.

The Hon. Mr. Chou Shou-son.

The Hon. Mr. H. W. Bird.

The Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang.

Mr. A. G. M. Fletcher, O.B.E.

Clerk of Councils.

PAPERS TABLED.

The Colonial Secretary tabled the following documents:

Financial minutes, report of the Finance Committee, amendment of the Importation and Inspection of Animals By-laws, amendment of the Maintenance of Order in Depots By-laws, amendment of the Maintenance of Order in Slaughter-houses By-laws and amendment of the Domestic Cleanliness and Ventilation By-laws, all of which have already been published in the "Government Gazette."

The Colonial Secretary also tabled the quarterly return of excesses on subheads met by savings under heads of expenditure; the regulation forbidding the removal of dogs from Hongkong, Kowloon and New Kowloon; the new prison rule giving the superintendent authority to have juvenile offenders whipped; the Post Office order revising certain parcel postage rates; the regulation prohibiting unauthorised use of searchlights; the new Stamp Ordinance regulations; a new Company Ordinance, the proclamations outlawing the Chinese Seamen's Union, the Chay Yin Kung Wui, the Lo Tung Tung Tak Kung Wui, and the Li Fo Yuen Kung Wui; and the order prohibiting the export of coal, rice, and flour from the Colony. These also have already been published in the "Government Gazette."

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On behalf of the unofficial members, the Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock said they desired to associate themselves with the words that had just fallen from His Excellency. They paid tribute to the memory of Sir Henry May as being a hard-working and conscientious official who sacrificed not only his health and strength but even his life to the public service.

The Hon. Mr. Liu Chu-pak said that the Chinese community desired to associate themselves with the sentiments expressed by His Excellency and the senior Unofficial Member.

The news of Sir Henry May's death was received by the Chinese here with genuine sorrow because although they did not at all times see eye to eye with him in some of his public policies they had learned to entertain for him the highest regard and respect. Sir Henry May never spared himself and since his retirement the results of some of his policies they had learned to appreciate now that he had gone. His death was mourned by the Chinese community and it was in their name that he now respectfully supported this resolution of sympathy.

The resolution was then carried, all the members of the Council standing.

OPIUM ORDINANCE.

WHAT IS A DIVAN?

The Attorney-General moved the first reading to amend further the Opium Ordinance, 1914, the objects and reasons of which stated:

Clause 2 adds a new sub-section to section 30 of the principal Ordinance to the effect that no person shall smoke opium in an opium divan.

At present this is not definitely specified as an offence in the Ordinance, and persons found smoking in divans are charged under section 30 with using an opium divan. It is perhaps open to doubt whether the use of this section for this purpose is correct, since the rest of the section is applicable only to opium divan keepers.

That the offence of smoking in a divan was contemplated by the framers of the Ordinance seems clear from the present section 31, and it is therefore considered advisable definitely to prohibit such smoking.

Clause 3 of the bill authorises additional presumptions in the principal Ordinance. In the majority of prosecutions for keeping opium divans it is necessary to prove an actual sale of opium, and the difficulty of proving this makes it almost impossible to bring home the offence.

The first part of clause 3 therefore authorises the presumptions that where two or more persons are found smoking opium in any place themselves not being residents there, (a) the place is an opium divan and (b) the tenant or occupier is keeping an opium divan there, provided that the tenant or occupier of one of his servants is present at the time.

The second part of clause 3 merely re-enacts the existing section 31 of the Ordinance.

SIR HENRY MAY'S DEATH.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL'S REGRET.

GOVERNOR'S TRIBUTE.

At this afternoon's meeting of the Legislative Council, H.E. the Governor moved the following resolution:

"The Legislative Council of Hongkong have received with profound regret the news of the death of Sir Henry May, G.C.M.G., LL.D., formerly Governor of Hongkong and for many years a member of the Council. In expressing the deep sympathy with Lady May and her daughters in their bereavement, the members of the Council desire to place on record their sense of the very valuable services rendered to Hongkong by Sir Henry May during his long and distinguished career in the Colony."

His Excellency said that he had not had the pleasure of serving with Sir Henry May at any time but he had known him for more than twenty years and he was sure that everybody that knew him had the highest respect and regard for his character. He thought there was little that he could say with regard to his career in this Colony which had not already been said by the Colonial Secretary some two years ago on the occasion of the announcement of Sir Henry May's resignation. His long career in this Colony covered a great period of development in all directions and in that development Sir Henry May himself played a very great part. His life was bound up in the Colony and the Colony in many ways would remember it and its development would stand as a memorial to Sir Henry May.

It was possible for anybody who knew Sir Henry May to differ from his opinions on many subjects, but he was quite sure that it would not be possible for anybody to have the slightest doubt that the opinions which he expressed were those which he honestly held and were formed in what he believed to be the best interests of the Colony to which his life was devoted.

His Excellency remarked that he had noticed one omission in the accounts of Sir Henry May's life which had appeared in the Press here. Early in the year 1901 Sir Henry May was offered the post of Lieutenant Governor of Ceylon, a post which had always been regarded as one of the prizes of the Civil Service as almost certain to lead to a governorship. Just at that time Sir Mathew Nathan met with an unfortunate accident and Sir Henry May's first act was to report to the Secretary of State that he felt his services were needed in the Colony and that he desired to withdraw his acceptance of the post in Ceylon. Thereby he subordinated, as he had always done, his own interests to the interests of the Colony.

On behalf of the unofficial members, the Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock said they desired to associate themselves with the words that had just fallen from His Excellency. They paid tribute to the memory of Sir Henry May as being a hard-working and conscientious official who sacrificed not only his health and strength but even his life to the public service.

The Hon. Mr. Liu Chu-pak said that the Chinese community desired to associate themselves with the sentiments expressed by His Excellency and the senior Unofficial Member.

The news of Sir Henry May's death was received by the Chinese here with genuine sorrow because although they did not at all times see eye to eye with him in some of his public policies they had learned to appreciate now that he had gone. His death was mourned by the Chinese community and it was in their name that he now respectfully supported this resolution of sympathy.

The resolution was then carried, all the members of the Council standing.

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Hongkong, February 16, 1922.

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KHIVA	9,017	15th Mar.	MARSEILLE, LONDON & A'werp.
DEVANHA	8,092	29th Mar.	do.
NOVARA	8,600	19th Apr.	do.
KALYAN	8,147	26th Apr.	do.
PLASSY	7,346	10th May	do.
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COMMONS CAMPAIGN CONTINUED.

RESPONSIBLE COMMISSION SOUGHT.

LONDON, February 15.

Several members were zealously campaigning at question-time in the House of Commons yesterday and to-day regarding the sale of children in Hongkong.

Mr. Winston Churchill, Secretary for Colonies, said that when opportunity offered he would be very glad to ascertain the general sense of the House on the matter but he was anxious they should know what the case was for and not go violently overturning a custom which was universal in China. He thought it sounded most objectionable in principle that he believed in practice it was not.

Meanwhile a conference under the auspices of the anti-Slavery Society at which a score of societies were represented, presided over by Viscountess Gladstone, passed a resolution declaring the *mis-treatment* system subject to abuses in Hongkong and urging the Colonial Office to appoint a responsible commission of men and women to visit Hongkong and confer with Chinese and Europeans and devise a practical scheme for preventing the buying and selling and enslavement of human beings and other abuses arising therefrom.

Speakers, including former Under-Secretary for India, Mr. Charles Roberts and commander Hazelwood, strongly protested against continuance of the system under the British flag as a disgrace and a scandal.

Other speakers while demanding redress of abuses pointed out that the system of adoption was an inherent part of the religion of China. One speaker declared that she had more admiration for educated Chinese women than any she had met in any other part of the world and believed they would be the strongest factor in abolishing the evil.

INDIAN FERMENT BLAME.

MONTAGU'S RESIGNATION SOUGHT.

LONDON, February 15.

The newspapers severely criticise the Imperial and Indian Governments for the pass to which they have allowed the situation in India to come.

The cancellation of the decision to arrest Gandhi is strongly commented upon. The Times urges the replacement of Mr. Montagu by a statesman of stronger fibre.

NATIONALIST LEADER JAILED.

BOMBAY, February 15.

The Nationalist leader C. R. Das has been sentenced to six months' jail.

LAW OF THE YUKON.

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BUDAPEST GIRL'S CLAIM TO RECEIVE MESSAGE.

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Hand in hand with this development goes an interest in Eastern religious, especially Buddhism.

A medium, a girl of one of the best Budapest families, has recently been discovered through whose lips, it is claimed, the great Buddha himself enunciates wisdom to the awestruck audience in the half lit room. Buddha's statements in Budapest are generally admonitions to humanity to believe in the ultimate happiness and perfection of mankind.

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1 MILE.

Bolshevko, 35, 1.08, last quarter, 33.

Fighting King, 34.1, 1.06.3, last quarter, 31.2.

Ace Pot and Ashes, 33, 1.06, last quarter, 33.

Robbie Doo and Kangaroo, 32, 1.05.2, last quarter, 32.3.

Whistling Rufus and Muzz, 37, 1.12.2, last quarter, 35.2.

Lantao Chief, 34.4, 1.09, last quarter, 34.1.

Fishshop, 36, 1.09.2, last quarter, 33.2.

Cutty Sark King, 34.1, 1.05.2, last quarter, 31.

Kilmalcolm and Killiecrankie, 34, 1.08, last quarter, 34.

Manhattan, 34, 1.05.1, last quarter, 31.1.

Neston and Wallaby, 33.2, 1.07, last quarter, 33.3.

Kilmarnock and Kilwinning, 37.2, 1.10.2, last quarter, 33.

Lucky Star, 36, 1.12, last quarter, 36.

2 MILES.

Kinshan and West River, 35, 1.09.3, 1.44, last quarter, 34.2.

Pull Devil Full Baker, 33, 1.04, 1.39, last quarter, 35.

Cassia River and Gabriel Junks, 35.3, 1.09.2, 1.42.2, last quarter, 33.

Wildfire Dahlia and Jewel Dahlia, 36, 1.13.1, 1.51.3, last quarter, 38.2.

Aloha, 39, 1.13, 1.48, last quarter, 35.

The Mit, 39, 1.18, 1.54, last quarter, 36.

Speckled Mouse, 36.4, 1.11.2, 1.43.3, last quarter, 32.1.

Pogo, 38, 1.13, 1.47.1, last quarter, 34.1.

Hurry Up, 35.4, 1.10.1, 1.49.2, last quarter, 33.1.

Hongkong Chief, 36, 1.11.2, 1.44, last quarter, 32.3.

Martial Dahlia, 35, 1.12, 1.46.1, last quarter, 34.1.

Rice Bird and Day Bird, 41, 1.15.3, 1.49.4, last quarter, 34.1.

Mosaic Tile, 36.3, 1.11.2, 1.43.2, last quarter, 32.

3 MILES.

Multum in Parvo, 34, 1.06.3, 1.42.2, 2.15, last quarter, 32.3.

4 MILES.

Toyshop, 38, 1.13, 1.49, 2.25.2, 2.59, last quarter, 33.3.

Flying Mouse, 39.4, 1.14, 1.51, 2.27, 3.00.2, last quarter, 33.2.

SPORT.**FOOTBALL.****2ND DIVISION TABLE.**

The 2nd Division League table up to and including 11th Feb. 1922, is as follows:

Goals

Clubs	P. W. L. D. F. A. P.	Kings.....	14	11	3	0	47	15	22
University.....	15	10	3	2	37	17	22		
R.G.A. Reg.....	15	8	4	3	33	22	19		
S.C.A.A.....	14	7	2	5	26	15	19		
"Curlew".....	11	8	2	1	39	17	17		
S.C.A.B.....	14	6	7	1	17	38	13		
U.A.C.....	14	4	6	4	29	26	12		
St. Josephs.....	11	4	5	2	17	23	10		
H.K.Club Res.....	13	2	9	2	10	26	6		
Kowloon.....	13	1	9	3	11	26	5		
Punjabis.....	14	1	12	1	11	52	3		

CRICKET.**K.C.C. v. NAVY.**

The following have been selected to play against the Navy on Saturday, on K. C. C. ground at 2.15 p.m.—A. O. Brown, E. J. Edwards, H. Overy, F. E. Lawrence, F. Evelyn, R. E. Linsell, C. Russell, E. W. Alderson, F. G. Herridge, E. F. Spinks and L. J. Blackburn.

CORRESPONDENCE.**"BIG COLONY."**[To the Editor of the *China Mail*.]

Sir.—May I also "butt in" on the big colony discussion? While realising that obviously no offence to Australians was intended in your remarks re shackles, there is much of truth in what "Australian" says and one can quite appreciate his viewpoint. There can be no doubt that the average Australian has a keen sense of humour even though the joke may be on him, but that which is no doubt ranking in the mind of "Australian" is the sarcasm which often underlies the joke. Australia has imprinted her loyalty on the pages of history in the blood of her sons and the suffering of her daughters and it was mainly because of that same loyalty that Australia hastened to the defence of the Motherland, for we were many thousands of miles from the actual conflict. Taking this into consideration there is a decided feeling of annoyance when some supercilious English "gentleman" in a "hand me down a star" manner, remarks, "How, from the Cavilians I see—" and finally passes some inane remark about convicts or shackles. This, Sir, is what hurts the man from the land of wattle blossom and sunshine. Unfortunately the Australian is over ready to resent even a fancied insult and it therefore behoves both Englishmen and Australians to remember that we are all citizens of the one Empire and that neither England or Australia is the whole. Let us then all try to correct our faults and so cement the bonds of brotherhood which have already been so nobly established, for who can say but that the day may not be far distant when each will be again depending on the other for that assistance which let us trust will be forthcoming. I trust, Sir, that if I have been rather treacherous, that as an Australian of the fourth generation and as one who has also served the Empire, both Englishmen and Australians will be indulgent towards

"ANOTHER AUSSIE"

Hongkong, February 15.

MERCANTILE MARINE MASTERS AND OFFICERS' RELIEF FUND.

[To the Editor of the *China Mail*.]

Sir.—The following leader appeared in the *London Daily Mail* on November 12 last. It speaks for itself and I therefore quote it as it stands.

A fund to deal with the matter is in existence at Home entitled "The Mercantile Marine Masters and Officers' Relief Fund" with its Central Committee at 28, St. Mary Axe, London. This fund deals with cases both deck and engineer officers.

"Through no fault of their own over 2,000 Masters and Officers of the Merchant Service are now out of employment. All of them rendered sad by crippled for want of money. It is administered entirely irrespective of membership of the different societies, and the cost of its administration is nil. It has been suggested that officers of the British Merchant Service coming to Hongkong, and also their many friends resident in the colony, might like to assist the above Fund. The following gentlemen have signified their willingness to receive contributions, and subscription lists will be opened in their respective offices.

The Secretary, the China Coast Officers' Guild.

The Secretary, the Institution of Engineers and Shipbuilders.

The Secretary, the Marine Engineers' Guild of China.

The Secretary, the Phoenix Club.

The Chaplain, the Seamen's Institute.

Yours, etc.,

G. T. WALDEGRAVE.

Hongkong, 15th February, 1922.

CHINA COAST.**LATEST SHIPPING CHANGES.**

Captain J. A. Campbell, of the "Tatung," has gone master, "Tungting." Captain E. L. Jones, of the "Tungting," is on reserve.

Captain J. Meathrel, of the "Sunning," has gone master, "Tatung." Captain H. A. Wavell, from leave, has gone master, "Sunning."

Mr. G. A. Evans, chief officer, "Ngankin," is on reserve. Mr. W. Noon, from reserve, has gone chief officer, "Ngankin."

Mr. H. Appleton, chief officer, "Whangpu," is on leave. Mr. J. M. Hopkins, chief officer, "Yunnan," has gone chief officer, "Whangpu."

Mr. R. Carruthers, third engineer, "Yunnan," is on reserve.

Mr. J. Ryles, third engineer, "Wenchow," has gone third engineer, "Yunnan."

Mr. Hill, from reserve, has gone third engineer, "Cheongshing."

Captain S. Polkinghorn, from leave, has gone master, "Tuckwo."

Captain J. M. Wright, of the "Tuckwo," is on reserve.

Captain J. M. Smith, of the "Suiwo," is deceased.

Mr. E. B. Everett, chief officer, "Suiwo," has gone acting master, same ship.

Mr. A. R. Smith, second officer, "Suiwo," has gone acting chief officer, same ship.

Mr. J. W. Best has been appointed second officer, "Suiwo."

Mr. J. Henderson, third engineer, "Cheongshing," has gone sup'y third engineer, "Wingsang."

Mr. J. M. Farquhar, chief officer, "Kiangyu," has gone chief officer, "Hsinming."

Mr. C. Hendriksen, from leave, has gone chief officer, "Kiangyu."

Mr. S. M. Copp has been appointed second officer, "Yushun."

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS AND PASSENGERS

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CHINA COAST, ETC.

Owing to the Chinese movement strike these dates cannot be relied on except where the company is not affected.

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SHANGHAI

Feb 15 N.Y.K. Iyo Maru
48 I.C.S.N. Washington
16 I.C.S.N. Kastoria State
18 I.C.S.N. Ichang
20 I.C.S.N. Hangchow
20 M.M. Anji Leboh
20 I.C.S.N. Ningkang
20 I.T. Tsin
22 I.C.S.N. Tashihshi Maru
23 I.C.S.N. Empress of Russia
24 I.C.S.N. Tumakow
25 I.C.S.N. Kore Maru
26 I.C.S.N. Africa Maru
27 I.C.S.N. Tukedo
28 I.C.S.N. Shantun
29 I.C.S.N. Dandong
Mar 1 O.S.K. Hawaii Maru
2 O.P.O. Madras
3 T.K.K. Shantun Maru
4 I.C.S.N. Silver State
13 P.A.O. Novara
14 P.F. Andries
16 P.L. Phenix
18 P.L. Polaris
23 U.P.S. Empress of Asia
25 A.G. L. Kalyan
26 P.A.O. Mandingue
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30 I.C.S.N. Empress of Russia
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TAKI AND DALNY.
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Feb 19 O.S.K. Kaijo Maru
Mar 8 T.K.K. Shinty Maru
Apr 1 T.K.K. Taiyo Maru

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Mar 20 T.K.K. Perim Maru

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Feb 18 I.C.S.N. Taksang.

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Feb 22 M.M. Azay le Rudeau.

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Mar 1 O.S.K. Bosphorus Maru

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BANGKOK.

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SINGAPORE.

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20 H.E.A.L. Dandong

20 B.E. Sutton Hall

21 H.I. Jacobs

21 N.Y.K. Taivoo Maru

22 G.L. Glenview

23 G.L. Gleebank

24 R.L. City of Tokyo

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27 R.E. Aisa

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33 G.L. Telemachus

34 B.E. Monitor

35 B.E. Tengking

36 P.O. Devanha

37 B.E. Pafnuc

38 P.O. Knight Templar

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